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COAL AND COMMISSION MERCHANT,
OFFICE—FOOT OF YATES STREET.
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Daily Colonist.

TUESDAY MORNING, NOV. 8TH, 1881.

MR. W. HARRISON

is the only person at Yale who is authorized to receive Subscriptions for the DAILY and WEEKLY COLONIST.

L. P. FISHER, Advertising Agent, 21 Merchants Exchange, San Francisco, is authorised to receive advertisements for the columns of this paper.

THE CONTRACTS FOR THE MAINLAND WAGON ROAD.

Why is it that the government has been so costive? That no information has been afforded the public as to the terms of the contracts that have been let. The public naturally feel interested not only in the maintenance of the road itself but also in the prices to be paid for repairs, and the conditions under which the contracts subsist. An unusual or rather the usual reticence appertaining to the "putting up of jobs" characterizes the behaviour of the government in this by no means unimportant business. Has the work been given out along the whole line? If so to whom? Who are the sureties? Are they responsible parties? Have the contractors become the guarantors of each other? Names, Mr. Speaker, names! Oh, this sweet triumvirate. Will they not even tell us the contract sums and also the above particulars? We have not at the moment before us a copy of the specifications. Our recollection is they are something eminently sublime, and practical. Yes, everything, *even to the payment of the fortunate (?) contractors is both as to amount and time* in that never-to-be-forgotten sweet discretion of the Chief Commissioner. Poor BEAVEN. While in the lands and works even he never wanted such excellent powers. Jew the poor contractor and stint his clerks as he would, he never forced them to a bargain in which it rested with him whether he—we beg pardon—they should have their miserable pittance or not. Speaking again from memory a lump sum is to be paid for the contract; but on the other hand payment is to be made according to the Chief Commissioner's estimate of the value of the work. A percentage according to the work done and that to be paid at discretion. What a delightful muddle. Poor mainland wagon road! Seriously however, if an agent were to make such a bargain for his principal, what would the latter say: either that the agent were dishonest or incompetent, and such will be the conclusion of every practical man. Silence—secrecy—and a hide-bound reticence in monetary matters, just on the eve of a general election and at a time when the buzzing of public inquiry as to all matters is becoming to them the finger on the wall are a sure indication of something viciously wrong.

RULES OF COURT.

We should be much better pleased if our contemporary would make some effort—if even a slight one to justify what we consider to be the usurpation by Mr. WALKEM of powers which he does not and (unless we are mistaken) is not destined to possess. It is very peculiar, but on every occasion when a shot goes home no reply comes from the organ. And so upon this occasion. The would-be judge—the would-be dictator to each and every litigant has nothing whatever to say to the by no means trifling accusation against him. Mr. WALKEM not having succeeded in placing himself on the bench would out of desire to wield supreme authority place himself above and beyond the law. It is Mr. WALKEM who shall mould not merely the practice of the court but the rights of suitors. The judges are very well in their way, but if the premier for his own ends can usurp their authority then let the freedom of the bench, and hence the freedom of equity, come to naught. The premier in his efforts to exalt himself would lower the judicial power and through so doing lessen the rights of the people. "Pride goeth before destruction and an haughty spirit before a fall."

SCOTCH HOUSE.

A. McLEAN & CO.

Beg to intimate that they have received a very choice assortment of real Scotch Tweed Clothing for the fall and winter trade, made up in the latest styles and patterns, Ulsters, Tweed Suits, etc., etc. These goods are superior to any Canadian Tweeds, and having purchased them for cash, we offer them at the same price as Canadian Tweeds. As we have a large stock of both kinds we invite a comparison. We have also received a large addition to our well selected stock of Scotch Hosiery, Lamb's Wool and Cashmere Underclothing, Waterproofs, extra large size Umbrellas, Winter Caps, Gloves, Scarfs, &c., &c. A. McLEAN. *

Blank Book Manufactory and Book Bindery.

Paper ruled to any pattern. Tickets Receipts, etc., numbered and perforated. Charts and maps mounted. The best classes of modern machinery employed. R. T. WILLIAMS, Government street, entrance through Messrs. Hibben & Co's store. *

THE blood at times becomes loaded with impurities and moves sluggishly in the veins. This condition of the vital fluid cannot last long without serious results. An alterative is needed to purify the blood and impart energy to the system, and there is none better than Ayer's Sarsaparilla. *

DENTISTRY.—Mr. R. B. Thompson, Dentist. Nitrous Oxide Gas (Laughing Gas) administered for the painless extraction of teeth. Reduced charges for plate work. Office, upstairs in the Old Masonic Building, Government street. Hours, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. *

LONDON BAZAAR.—Just received, China Glass and Majolica Ware, Cutlery, English, German and American Toys. Fancy Goods in great variety and large assortment at London Bazaar. *
T. CARRINGTON.

CUSTOMS BLANKS.—Duty blanks with with the new form of oath attached are now on sale at *The Colonist* stationery store. *

SAUSAGE! SAUSAGE!

Clear the track, everybody! Don't you see I have arrived with the famous JERSEY LILLY SAUSAGES, manufactured by the celebrated VANBURGH BROTHERS, three in number, whose ancestors were sausage makers to the Queen of Sheba, and were recognized as the most expert manipulators of *saucisse de cochin* now in existence, whom I have at an enormous expense expressly imported from New York. They also make a speciality in curing and introducing the latest new style of BACON to boil with Cabbage-heads.

Farmers, attention! Big prices paid for fat hogs. J. HEYWOOD,
* Pork Packer, Yates street.

MRS. M. ADAMS, fashionable *modiste*, Douglas street, having recovered from her late severe indisposition, will resume business on Monday, 17th inst. *

PROF. A. L. FRANCIS is again in the city. All who appreciate fine harmony and correct tuning will leave orders at M. W. Waitt & Co. *

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED.

25 MEN TO ACT AS SUPERNUMERIES IN Carmen; must be over 5 feet 10 inches in height. Apply at Stage Entrance to Theatre at half-past Eleven o'clock this morning. no8

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT FINLAYson's Bridge, at the north end of Government street, is closed for repairs and will remain so until further notice. WM. LEIGH, C.M.C.
Nov. 7th, 1881. no8

AN APOLOGY.

VICTORIA, Nov. 4, 1881.

SIR:—I BEG TO INFORM YOU THAT DURING your absence from Victoria I have been circulating a report concerning your mode of living in Cassiar, which is detrimental to your character, and I now desire to express sincere regret for making use of the remarks I did and to apologize to you therefor, at the same time stating that there was not the slightest ground for the remarks I made use of concerning you.

MRS. A. C. PIERCE.
To Mr. Edward A. Booth, Victoria. no8 2t

JULIUS BARRAN

Is prepared to supply, Summer & Winter,

LA CREME DE LA CREME
— OF —
SAUSAGES!

PRERARED ENTIRELY BY HIMSELF WITHOUT THE AID OF QUEEN'S OR KING'S IMPORTATION OR PREPARATION.

MADE FROM THE PUREST

ISLAND FARMERS' RAISED PORK

J. BARRAN,

YATES STREET, NEAR DOUGLAS.

N. B.—HAMS, BACON and all kinds of SAUSAGES, etc., constantly on hand.

☞ HIGHEST CASH PRICE PAID for Corn Fed Pork. no8

REAL ESTATE SALE.

The undersigned has received instructions from the mortgagee to sell by Public Auction at his salesroom, Yates St.

On Friday next, 11th inst.,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

LOT 79, Victoria City, adjoining the residence of ex-Mayor Drummond, M. P. P., Rae street.

ONE ACRE of Land adjoining Mr. M. Dodd's and formerly occupied by him, situated a little above the Gorge.

TERMS AT SALE.

W. R. CLARKE,
no 8 Auctioneer.

BIBLES AND TESTAMENTS.

A FULL ASSORTMENT HAS ARRIVED FROM the B. and F. Bible Society and now for sale at the Depository at Messrs. T. N. Hibben & Co.'s Store. By order,
no6 W. C. SIFFKEN, Hon. Sec.

JULES ROBIN & CO,'S

BRANDY,

EX CHILOE.

A SHIPMENT OF THE ABOVE

CHOICE BRANDY

In OCTAVES, CASES and PINT FLASKS

STAHLSCHMIDT & WARD,
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MRS. REID

IS NOW PREPARED TO DO ALL KINDS OF

DRESSMAKING

AT SHORT NOTICE.

PRICES MODERATE.

FORT ST., ONE DOOR EAST OF MRS. MASON'S.
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NOTICE.

DURING MY ABSENCE FROM VICTORIA, W. WALKER will attend to supplying my numerous customers with Coal

BEST WELLINGTON KEPT CONSTANTLY ON HAND

Delivered Free to any part of the City.

J. D. ROBINSON,
City Coal & Wood Depot.
Dickson-Campbell's Wharf. oc29

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OATMEAL!

SPECIAL NOTICE TO FAMILIES

PENDING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A PERmanent Agency the undersigned will fill all orders

DIRECT FROM THE MILL,

For his SUPERIOR OATMEAL, which he will guarantee to be

BETTER THAN ANY OTHER BRAND MANUFACTURED ON THE PACIFIC COAST.

Address all orders through the Postoffice to

D. F. ADAMS, Craigflower.

Or leave them with Frank Campbell, Adelphi Corner.

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NEW OFFICES:

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SOLE AGENTS IN BRITISH COLUMBIA FOR

Bisquit, Dubouche & Co.'s BRANDY,
Dunville & Co.'s IRISH WHISKY,
Gale & Friend's PAINTS, WHITE LEAD, &c
Krug & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE,
Moline & Co.'s STOUT,
D. P. McDonald's LONG JOHN WHISKY,
Nobles & Hoare's VARNISHES,
J. J. Ronaldson & Sons' PORT and SHERRY,
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of London and Aberdeen.

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(Limited), of Liverpool.

ROYAL MAIL STEAM PACKET CO., LONDON.

Victoria, 1st Nov. 1, 1881. no2 1m

ALBION HOUSE.

NEW

FALL GOODS!

A. B. GRAY & CO.

Having received a Large Stock of the

NEWEST FALL GOODS

Are now showing the same in their large stores on Government St.

TO CASH BUYERS of Retail Dry Goods, A. B. Gray & Co. are now in such a position to sell their New Fall Goods next to none in the Province. They buy straight from the best English and American markets; buy at the very Lowest Cash Prices, hence their being in such a position to produce such goods. Our motto is—Quick Returns and Small Profits.

COME AND SEE

A. B. GRAY'S Dress Goods in all the New Fall shades in Blacks and Colors—Black Cashmeres at 55c., 62½c, 75c., $1, $1.25, $1.50; Cords, Poplins, French Serges in great varirty; Black Velveteens from 50c. to $1.50. We have got the largest stock in line of Black Velveteens. As our Dress Department is very large it would be impossible for us to enumerate prices; but we are sure those who give us a visit will not be disappointed.

COME AND SEE

A. B. GRAY'S New Fall Jackets, newest shapes and excellent quality, prices from $2.75 up. We have a few Dolmans on hand, which we shall sell cheap; also, a few fur lined Cloaks suitable for the present season.

COME AND SEE

A. B. GRAY'S large stock of Fur Trimmings, Ribbons, Scarfs, Flowers, Feathers, Silks, Satins, Velvets, Skirts, Handkerchiefs, Corsets, etc. These departments are large and fresh and one cannot fail to get what they want. Just received this morning a fresh lot of Fancy Scarfs, Ribbons and Woolen Goods.

COME AND SEE

A. B. GRAY'S stock of ladies' Underclothing. We have got the largest stock of underclothing in town. We have some very special lines in this department, which we are determined to clear out. Drawers from 50c., Chemises 62½c, Nightdresses 87½c. See our counter laid out with underclothing for prices.

COME AND SEE

A. B. GRAY'S House Furnishing Departments. For those furnishing we would ask them to give us a call and ask for our special White Honeycomb Quilts from $1.60 up; Tablecloths and Napkins, Tablecovers, White and Brown Turkish Towels, Blankets. We would direct your special attention to our 10¼lb. 4-point white Blankets which is the best value in town. The above House Furnishing Departments are well worth a visit. We are the only house in the city who have got the new Comforter Quilt from $2.50 up. We are making a special lead of this quilt, and are selling so many that we have had to repeat this line several times. They have got the appearance of a real eider down quilt and are at such low prices that everyone ought to get them.

GENTLEMEN'S DEPARTMENT.

Come and see this department for yourselves. We have a very large stock just to hand and now opened up of Gentlemen's Underclothing of the very best English and Scotch make in Shirts, Pants and Stockings; also, Gents' Ties, Umbrellas, Collars, Braces; Dress Shirts from $1 to $2.50; Cuffs, Kid Gloves, etc. We only keep Dent's (London) Glove and guarantee every pair. Overalls and Jumpers in great variety.

A NEW FEATURE IN OUR BUSINESS.

As before advertised we have received the services of a lady who has had long experience in the very best London and Glasgow Houses in Dressmaking and Boys' Clothing Departments. These departments we now intend to give our most careful and strict attention, and any orders entrusted to us shall receive our full care. We have just opened this morning a parcel of Tweeds suitable for Boys' Suits at different prices.

WHOLESALE DEPARTMENT (UP-STAIRS.)

To our Jobbing Customers, in addition to a full line of Trade Staples, we direct special attention to a full stock of Notion Goods, suitable for general and holiday trade, amongst which we would specially notice 150 doz. dolls. no2

RAFFLE.

THE THREE FOLLOWING NAMED HORSES will be Raffled for at the

ADELPHI SALOON,

ON TUESDAY EVENING THE 8TH NOV.

AT EIGHT O'CLOCK.

The Bay Horse MARQUIS late BUCKSKIN.

Sorrel Horse NAPOLEON,

Roan Horse RALPH,

Each good in Saddle, Single or Double Harness.

The Highest Throw to take First Choice; Second Highest Throw, Second Choice; and the Lowest Throw the remaining horse.

100 TICKETS AT $5 EACH.

To be had at the Bar of Messrs. Murphy & Brown.

The Horses can be seen every day at Mr. James Lascelles' residence, James Bay.

N. B.—Ties, if any, to be thrown off.

Victoria, Oct. 22d, 1881. oc23

C. B. MANSELL & CO'S

NEW

CLOTHING

BOOT & SHOE STORE

WILL OPEN ON THURSDAY, THE THIRD instant, with a general assortment of

BOOTS & SHOES,

MEN'S YOUTHS' AND BOYS'

CLOTHING & RUBBER GOODS

WHICH WE OFFER AT

PRICES TO SUIT ALL PERSONS.

We will not charge enough profit on our goods to allow ten per cent. off. Our motto will be:

One Price to all for Cash.

ODD FELLOWS' BUILDING, DOUGLAS ST.
no1

MUSIC.

PROF. F. MEYER

WILL GIVE LESSONS ON THE Piano and Flute at the residence of Pupils or at his private apartments, North Quadra street.

Also, FRENCH and GERMAN taught.

N. B.—Orders left at Messrs. T. N. Hibben's and M W. Waitt's promptly attended to oc27 1m

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FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

CARRYING H. M. MAILS AND W. F. & CO.'S EXPRESS.

THE PACIFIC COAST STEAMSHIP CO.'S FIRST CLASS STEAMER

DAKOTA,

MORSE, CAPTAIN,

Will sail for San Francisco on

THURSDAY, NOV. 10TH, AT 11 A. M.

Intending shippers are requested to make arrangements for freight as early as possible so that room may be reserved for their shipments.

Freight and Baggage for shipment by her are required to be on the wharf of the undersigned by 5 p. m. on Wednesday, 9th inst.

The steamer Woodside will convey passengers from our wharf at 9 A. M. on date of sailing.

For Freight and Passage apply to

no1 WELCH, RITHET & CO., Agents.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

Barque CHILOE, Capt. H. Collin, fm Liverpool

THIS VESSEL WILL DISCHARGE CARGO at R. C. Janion's wharf on Monday, 7th inst. and following days.

Consignees are requested to present their Bills of Lading at the office of the undersigned and receive delivery orders for their goods.

Goods remaining on the wharf after 5 o'clock p. m. each day will be at the risk and expense of the consignees thereof respectively.

WELCH, RITHET & CO.,
Consignees of Barque Chiloe.
Victoria, B.C., 4th Nov., 1881. no5

FOR ENGLAND.

THE NEW SHIP

DAKOTA,

CAPTAIN J. F. GILKEY.

Now loading at New Tacoma, to sail

ON OR ABOUT NOVEMBER 10TH PROX.

Has superior accommodation for two or three Cabin Passengers.

For terms and further particulars apply to

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TO BE LET.

THE CITY HOTEL,

COR. FORT AND DOUGLAS STREETS,

ON LIBERAL TERMS.
oc22 **ALLSOP & MASON.**

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A MOST DESIRABLE FIRST-CLASS FARM OF 200 Acres on Salt Spring Island and situated at Ganges Harbor. There is a Dwelling House of hewn cedar logs 22x32 feet and one and a-half stories high, with stone and brick chimneys; 60 or 70 acres under fence; 40 acres cultivated; fine Orchard, which comprises Peach, Cherry, Apple and Pear Trees. There is an abundance of fresh water; 18 or 20 head of Cattle, 1 yoke Oxen, Sheep and Goats. The whole will be sold on easy terms. Title guaranteed. For further particulars apply to

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RIVERSIDE FARM, MATSQUI.

IN WHOLE OR PART,

CONTAINING THREE HUNDRED ACRES DYKed Land, of which 250 Acres could easily be put under crop for next season,

WITH WHARF 80 FEET FRONT AND AMPLE BARN AND OTHER BUILDING ACCOMMODATION.

Apply to C. B. SWORD,
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A GOOD, PAYING BUSINESS FOR SALE IN Yale.

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DOES THE

LARGEST BUSINESS

Of any Insurance Company

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WHY?

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It alone issues

Incontestable Policies,

Stipulating that the contract of insurance "shall not be disputed" after it is three years old, and that such policies shall be

Paid Immediately,

On receipt of satisfactory proofs of death.

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Its policy is clear and concise, and contains

No Arduous Conditions.

N. B.—**READ YOUR POLICIES.** Compare the short and simple form used by the Equitable, with long and obscure contracts loaded down with technicalities issued by other companies.

BECAUSE its

Cash Returns

To policy-holders are

UNPRECEDENTED.

N. B.—See the many letters from policy-holders expressing their gratification with the returns from TONTINE SAVINGS FUND POLICIES.

BECAUSE of its

FINANCIAL STRENGTH.

OUTSTANDING INSURANCE

190 MILLIONS.

ASSETS SECURELY INVESTED

43 MILLIONS.

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10 MILLIONS.

H. F. HEISTERMAN & CO.

AGENTS FOR

VICTORIA, B.C.
no3

MUNICIPAL.

IN PURSUANCE OF A RESOLUTION PASSED by the Municipal Council on the 26th inst.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a Reward of FIVE DOLLARS will be paid to any person who shall give such information as shall lead to the conviction of any person or persons found breaking the windows of any house or tenement within the City Limits. WM. LEIGH, C.M.C.
City Clerk's Office, Oct, 27th, 1881. oc28

TO SHIP CARPENTERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO NOV. 12th for the building of a Barge 17x72 feet.

Plans and Specifications may be seen at the office of ANDREW GRAY,
oc30 Consulting Engineer, Government St

AMUSEMENTS

Theatre Royal.

F. W. STECHHAN, - Lessee and Manager.

ENGAGEMENT EXTRAORDINARY

For a limited number of nights of the

INEZ FABBRI

Grand English

OPERA COMPANY,

TUESDAY, NOV. 8TH.

CARMAN.

FULL CHORUS AND GRAND ORCHESTRA.

W. H. KINROSS ..... CONDUCTOR

REPERTOIRE:

LUCIA DI LAMMERMOOR,
IL TROVATORE, MARTHA,
LUCREZIA BORGIA,
FAUST, CARMEN,
And other Novelties.

ADMISSION, $1; Pit, 50 cents; Reserved Seats, 25 cents extra, at Redfern's Jewelry Store. oc26

PRINCE OF WALES' BIRTHDAY.

Ploughing Match,
Horse Racing,

And other Amusements at the Victoria Driving Park and Show Grounds,

ON WEDNESDAY, NOV. 9TH, 1881.

THE PLOUGHING MATCH WILL TAKE PLACE at 10 o'clock sharp, each competitor to plough half an acre.

WHEEL PLOUGHS.

First Prize, All Comers			$20 00
Second	do	do	10 00
Third	do	do	5 00

SWING BEAM PLOUGHS.

First Prize, All Comers			$20 00
Second	do	do	10 00
Third	do	do	5 00

AMATEURS.

First Prize, All Comers			$10 00
Second	do	do	7 00
Third	do	do	5 00

FOOT RACE.

A Foot Race for half a mile, all comers, not less than three to enter.

First Prize..... $10 00
Second..... 5 00

And a game which is rarely seen "A Bladder on the Line."

Rules of Ploughing, 6x9 inches. All entries to be made on the ground at 9 o'clock, sharp. no5

SALE OF WORK.

THE BISHOPSCLOSE LADIES' WORKING Party propose to hold a

SALE OF WORK OF USEFUL CLOTHING,

AND SOME FANCY ARTICLES,

AT ANGELA COLLEGE,

(By kind permission of Miss Dupont.)

ON SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 19TH, 1881,

From ELEVEN to FOUR.

Proceeds to be devoted to the Mission Fund
no5

A BAZAAR

IN AID OF THE

ORPHAN'S OF ST. ANN'S CONVENT

WILL BE HELD IN

PHILHARMONIC HALL

MONDAY AND TUESDAY, 28TH & 29TH NOV.

LUNCHEON at 12 o'clock, noon, and Refreshments throughout the day and evening.

CONTRIBUTIONS thankfully received either at the Convent or at the Hall on the days on which the Bazaar is held.

ADMISSION, 25 cents; Children half-price. no1

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ANNUAL EXHIBITION

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AT PHILHARMONIC HALL,

COMMENCING WEDNESDAY, THE 9TH NOV.,

AT 7 O'CLOCK.

ADMISSION TWENTY FIVE CENTS.

Poetry and Conundrums will be received up to the 21st November. no2

THE CONVERSAZIONES

Of the Ladies of the

REFORMED EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Will be held on

FIRST AND THIRD THURSDAY EVENINGS IN EACH MONTH, AT 8 O'CLOCK.

At ST. JAMES HALL, Government St.

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THE LADIES OF THE

AID SOCIETY

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH

WILL GIVE AN

Entertainment

CONSISTING OF

Tea, Tableaux and Music,

no6 The Third Week in November.

WANTED

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A BEDROOM AND SITTINGROOM, OR ONE large Bedroom with fireplace, with breakfast. Address, stating terms, "Y.Z.," *The Colonist* office. no6

WANTED

A SMALL FURNISHED HOUSE OR COTTAGE with four or five rooms, a convenient distance from Government street, for four or five months.

Address CAPT JEMMETT,
no6 New Westminster.

WANTED.

BY TWO GENTLEMEN, TWO FURNISHED Bedrooms and Sittingroom with Breakfast.
no4 Address "A," *The Colonist* office.

WANTED.

TWO APPRENTICES TO LEARN THE DRESSmaking business. Apply to
no1 1m MRS. REID, Fort street.

WANTED.

3 APPRENTICES TO LEARN THE DRESSMAKing. Apply immediately to
MRS. J. LANGLEY and MRS. F. J. MORISON, Broughton st., bet. Government and Langley. no2

MANUFACTURING DEPARTMENT—A. B. GRAY & CO.

WANTED—A FEW GIRLS AS APPRENTICES. Also, several Girls to run sewing machines. Also, a buttonhole worker. Apply to the Lady in Charge. oc21

WANTED

A MAN WANTS A SITUATION AS GROOM OR Kitchen Gardener. Can work on a farm or do any kind of jobbing. Apply to
oc20 W. X. SELLECK, Esquimalt.

WANTED

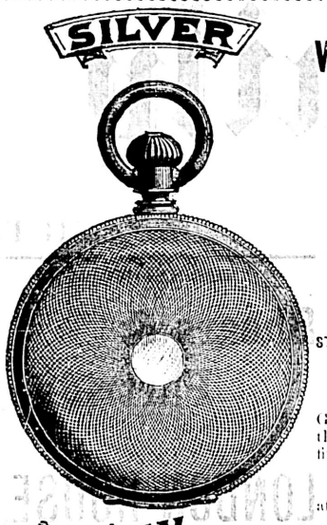
A SITUATION BY A MAN WHO HAS HAD long experience as Storekeeper, Salesman, Clerk and Auctioneer in general stores; has been employed as Freight Clerk and Purser on steamers. For particulars address "T.C.R.," office of this paper, or at N. Shakespeare's office, Yates street. oc2

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL ONLY accept COIN FOR RENT, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.

'80 LD LOWENBERG,

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.



WALTHAM WATCHES!

— AT —

C. E. REDFERN'S,

GOVERNMENT STREET,

Who has been appointed by the Company

SOLE AGENT FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA.

KEY WINDERS, $15 AND UPWARDS.

STEM WINDERS & SETTERS, $22 50 UPWARDS.

These Watches are all GUARANTEED GENUINE WALTHAM Manufacture and the Cases Solid Sterling Silver 925-1000ths fine.

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A LIBERAL DISCOUNT TO THE TRADE.
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Per stmp CALIFORNIA, fm Portland—John Lawlor, Hattie Flowers, M Castabout, Wm Turner, Mrs D S Keene, Miss L Stephens, W Sullivan, J Ells, G Kain, Wm Johnson, Jas Dundon, Jas Meres, Geo Wheelan, Jno Knight.

CONSIGNEES.

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MARRIED.

In this city, on the 7th inst., by Rev Father Jonckeau, Thomas Hazzy to Adele, daughter of the late John Laplant.

Letters Detained for Postage at Victoria P. O.

NOVEMBER 7, 1881

Carr, Mrs. M. H., Portland, O.
Collector of Inland Revenue, Montreal
Peok Sing, Lytton
Greyell, Mr., Chilliwack
Helmcken, Dr., City
Hong Chong & Co., Pt Townsend
Jenkinson, R., City
Russell, T., Victoria,
Waitt, Capt., City

Municipal Police Court.

[Before Hon. A. F. Pemberton.]

MONDAY, Nov. 7th.

A variety of cases on the docket, (a new one, by the by, just put in) brought out a large number of persons to listen to the proceedings.

DRUNKS.

Some half-a-dozen inebriates, chiefly white men, were disposed of according to statute; some of them being out on bail and not forthcoming their recognizances were estreated.

THE GAMBLING CASE.

Henry Wiseman *alias* Dutch Henry, on remand, was charged with obtaining $50 from J. Harborough unlawfully by gambling in the Adelphi Saloon on the night of Nov. 3rd.

Mr. Pollard for the prosecution.

Prosecutor in this case did not appear, and Mr. T. Davie, for the defence, asked for a dismissal of the case.

Dismissed accordingly.

A similar charge against L. Cummersford was dismissed as the prosecutor did not appear.

The third information in the case was against James Dunne, and was similarly disposed of.

The fourth one implicated was Joseph Blum. This case was also dismissed.

Fifth and last against "French Louis," followed the same course.

STEALING.

Ned, a Tsimpsian Indian, was charged with being in unlawful possession of sundry articles belonging to Jim, a Hydah Indian, contained in a box and valued at $7 and upwards, on the 29th October from a tenement on Johnson street.

Case remanded for one day for the production of further evidence.

Interior.

[From our Lake La Hache Correspondent.]

From September 1st to October 1st the rains here were almost continuous. Great damage was done to crops of all kinds, and for a time it was feared that they would all be lost. Farmers had to watch their chances and it was with the greatest difficulty that they were saved; on the 28th of September two inches of snow fell, and grain that was not cut was leveled to the ground, fortunately it was nearly all cut. Crops have all been harvested for two weeks, and a goodly portion is now threshed; wheat is turning out better than was expected, in quality and quantity; but other grain, particularly oats, is not meeting expectations, being far below the average in all respects. The rain and snow was followed by a few frosty nights, the thermometer on several occasions registering 2° above zero. Potatoes being at that time still undug, about one third were lost. A great deal of hay is still in stack, as the rains raised the water in swamp-meadows, upon which they were cut, to such an extent that they now will have to be left until they freeze over.

Notwithstanding all this, the wet spell has been followed by a very beautiful fall, for the past three weeks we have been enjoying the finest of Indian summers; in consequence, dairying is still continued, although, it is now two weeks later than the usual time for "burning out."

Marine.

The barque Prince Rupert is busy taking in salmon from the steamer Otter. She expects to leave for London in ten days.

The barkentine Agnes Wilson arrived at Hastings Mill yesterday to load lumber for Yokohama.

The barque Remijioleft at noon yesterday in tow of the Etta White for Moody's mills to load lumber for New Zealand.

A GAME of weight throwing will take place at the Driving Park to-morrow. Weights 56 and 28 lbs. Prize for 56 lbs. $10, entrance fee 50cts. Prize for 28 lbs. $10, entrance fee 25cts. Weights may be seen at the Pacific Telegraph Hotel.

*2t D. McDERMOTT.

FROM PORTLAND.—The steamship Eureka, late California, arrived on Sunday afternoon from Portland *via* Port Townsend and Seattle. She discharged 114 tons freight and 3556 ½-sacks of flour at Welch, Rithet & Co.'s wharf and left early yesterday afternoon for Wrangel and Sitka.

RUNAWAY.—On Sunday afternoon while a gentleman was out driving when turning a corner near the Victoria Brewery the horse suddenly started full tear down Government street but only got as far as Tai Yuno's establishment before he was caught. The occupant was thrown out, but escaped with a few slight bruises.

Militia Inspection.

No. 2 Company Victoria Rifles, commanded by Capt. Fletcher, was inspected on Saturday evening at the drillshed by Colonel Laurie, D. A. G. The men were put through the rifle drill, both manual and firing, by Lieut. Green, and the bayonet exercise, of which Lieut. Green and this company make a specialty, was very creditably performed. Capt. Fletcher then took command, and moved the company in company drill both in close and extended order, all of which was fairly and steadily done. In addressing the men at the conclusion Col. Laurie first presented two badges, one in silver and one in bronze, to be won by the best and second best shots of the company for the year. He hoped more men would complete the target practice, which he regretted had been gone through by so few. He noticed that the muster was comparatively small, but that the sample presented as representative of the company was very creditable in physique, and the drill fair. He would be glad to see the ranks filled with such men, but hoped Captain Fletcher would be very particular who he took, and that he (Colonel L.) would rather see the company of half strength of the right sort than have them filled up with an inferior class of recruits. Capt. Fletcher had told him he had none but bearded men in the ranks. He had evidently left the boys at home until by applying macassar they could grow beards and qualify for admission. He wanted the ranks full and hoped the stimulant would work rapidly. Another year the inspection must be earlier in the season and outdoors. He remembered how well this company turned out when they went into camp last year, and he hoped some such arrangement could be made for next season. He believed in leaving much to individual action. Was satisfied that the districts worked better the more the responsibility was thrown on commanding officers and it was the same with corps and companies; he left a great deal to captains, desiring to put them on their mettle to look to the best advantage. He recollected the old adage, "still water runs deep," and was satisfied that would apply to their captain, who worked very quietly but was solid. But he did not depend on the captain alone. Lieutenants, sergeants, corporals, all must learn how much devolved on them, and another year he should require them to prove their capabilities for command. To day was the anniversary of Inkerman, it had been called the soldier's battle, and so it was, and well the name had been earned, each trusted to himself and it was squarely fought out, but the battles of the future will be soldier's battles in a sense beyond Inkerman—there it was determined gallantry. In the future it would be that wise intelligence of a high degree added. They had put on uniforms and assumed the responsibilities of soldiers; they must fit themselves for ready obedience and prompt action by steady drill, and then cultivate their intelligence and apply it to utilising their drill so that if ever called into the field against an enemy he trusted their training and education would enable them to do what their countrymen did at Inkerman—win a soldier's battle, gaining glory for themselves and their country. The company then placed their rifles, &c., in the new armory, which is being so conveniently fitted up for them, and started for home by moonlight, which had by this time broken through the clouds.

THE FUNERAL OF THE LATE W. HOLROYD.—A large number of friends accompanied the remains of this old pioneer to their last resting place in Ross Bay Cemetery yesterday afternoon. The procession left the Angel Hotel at 2:30 and proceeded to the First Presbyterian Church, where a part of the burial service was read by the Rev. Mr. Smith and from thence to Ross Bay Cemetary where the body was interred. The following gentlemen were the pall-bearers: J. Wrigleswortb, W. Williams, Christopher Taylor, F. Carn, Geo. Mansell, J. G. Taylor, D. F. Barrow and Henry Jewell. Deceased had accumulated considerable personal property as well as some real estate in this province which is willed to a nephew in Yorkshire, England. He was never married and had no relatives whatever here, but leaves a brother and sister in England.

THE EXHIBITION TO-MORROW.—The second art exhibition under the auspices of the management of the Mechanic's Institute Committee will open to-morrow. Should it prove as good and attractive as the one held last year (and by all accounts it will be much better), it will certainly be visited by everybody over and over again. It is to be regretted that the season for flowers is about over, as the absence of these exquisite works of nature must detract from the general appearance and beauty of the exhibition.

MR. F. B. EVANS, the intelligent old blind man who has been in this city for the past week, begs to return his grateful thanks to the numerous citizens who have so kindly assisted him in procuring funds for the purpose if possible of alleviating his heavy affliction.

THE boys who smashed the door of the theatre on Langley street had better call in and pay the damages or else proceedings will be taken against them. The police have their names, and witnesses can be called to prove their guilt.

THE *Weekly Colonist* published to-day with a single sheet supplement, contains all the news for the past week with local and general news and is a very interesting number. It may be had at either of the book stores or publication office.

CITY COUNCIL.—A special meeting of the Council on the electric light question was called for yesterday afternoon; but only a bare quorum being present it was postponed till Thursday at 3 p.m.

STATUTORY HOLIDAY.—To-morrow being Prince of Wales' birthday, public offices and the banks will be closed. The regular meeting of the City Council in the evening will be omitted in consequence.

SHOOTING.—No. 2 Company Victoria Rifles have sent a challenge to the C. P. R. team to hold the return match at Clover Point on Saturday next, weather permitting.

MUTTON.—Mr. James Metcalf went over by the Starr yesterday morning to bring over sheep for Christmas saddles of mutton.

THE Slope will arrive sometime to-day from Yale. She was detained at Hope taking cattle on board yesterday.

FOR THE SOUND.—The North Pacific, Capt. Clancey, left at 7 a. m. yesterday for Tacoma to have her cabins refitted.

TO-MORROW will be Lord Mayor's day in London.

Lucrezia Borgia Last Night.

In spite of the elements, which are very unpropitious every evening of the opera, a good house listened most appreciatively last night to the magnificent music of Lucrezia Borgia. The grand impersonations of Messrs. Talbo and Muller, and Misses D'Arona and Bartoni are more and more captivating as the engagement progresses. The above-mentioned ladies and gentlemen have never appeared to greater advantage nor have they carried their audience more with them than they did last night. What little there was for the other actors to do was remarkably well done; but the bulk of the performance fell to the four already named and it is not to much to say that their acting and their singing left nothing to be desired by the most fastidious critic in operatic art. Mr. Kinross as usual wielded the baton with the utmost precision, while the orchestra music was accuracy itself. In every act last night there was more or less applause, but enthusiasm culminated in the drinking song in the last act when the audience, almost beside themselves with delight, insisted on Miss D'Arona's reappearance at the foot lights. To this encore the talented and charming artiste gracefully responded.

To-night Madame Fabbri will take a benefit to which all the members of the company will contribute. "Carman" is the play selected and it will be rendered in English throughout. There will be more than 40 people on the stage at once in some parts of this delightful opera. It need not be said here that financially this operatic engagement is not a success, although the patronage extended has been liberal in the extreme. A house therefore packed to its utmost capacity should, and no doubt will, greet the public spirited beneficiary to-night. The cornet solo with orchestra accompaniment will be repeated by special request.

Lucia di Lammermoor to-morrow evening will be under the patronage of his Worship the Mayor and the City Council. The theatre will be tastefully and appropriately decorated for the occasion, and our national airs will be rendered by the entire force of the company.

The following is the argument in "Carman":

Jose a Brigadier of Dragoons at Seville is waiting the arrival of Michaella a peasant girl with a letter and purse from his mother. A band of girls arrive from the cigar factory opposite and Carman the prettiest and most coquettish, full of mischief throws a flower in his face. Jose falls distractedly in love. A quarrel ensues among the factory girls, Carman declares the assailant is ordered to prison. She defies them all and fascinates the luckless Brigadier who conniving at her escape is himself placed under arrest. Carman returns to her wandering gipsy life and asks Jose to desert and follow her. He refuses and Carman is indignant. Quarrelling however with his superior officer about Carman is forced to join the smugglers. Carman's love grows cold. Escamillo the popular Toreador, woes her while the jealous Jose departs to visit his dying mother. Carman's love now turns to hate and she goes with Escamillo to the bull fight at Seville. Jose pursues her and tempting her to follow him, in frantic rage at her refusal and avowed affection for Escamillo stabs her to the heart.

FOR THE SOUND.—The steamer Isabel left at 5 o'clock for the Sound with mails and passengers.

FOR THE MAINLAND.—The Princess Louise leaves this forenoon for New Westminster with 600 tons freight.

Blushing.

TO THE EDITOR:—Thirty years ago it was easy to find a man that could blush. Then the idea of honor was in the majority of heads. Now the idea of getting a dollar fills the whole cavity from which the other idea has been expelled. Blushing is now an art practised in "good society." The modern lady cannot blush without the assistance of paint. Every one seems to know too much of what may be called useless information, and the world is not improved by the change.

The modern statesman—there is no such animal; the modern politician is a better phrase—knows nothing of honor. He has no ambition to shine as the benefactor of his race. He is a creature controlled by expedients, a figurehead who believes that he has discharged his duty when he has pocketed his salary. If John Hampden could rise from the grave and look at the politicians and sham patriots of the present age he would be amazed. If his ghost happened to see the following extract from the mainland *Sentinel* the pale face of the shadow would blush for shame:

"Supt. Chas. Todd accompanied by Messrs. Roycroft, Thorndyke, Wright, McCann, Sweeny, Fitzstubbs, Allison, Blackstock and Goudy proceeded up the railway to collect the school tax. The demand to pay caused our celestial friends to look comical. The demand was repeated in a voice and with a manner that meant business. John's bristles commenced to rise, and it looked as if a spec of war was on hand. Capt. Todd placed his men in battle array, all well armed with first-class revolvers. This caused the Chinese to weaken, and becoming docile they paid their taxes like little men."

That is awful news, and no one blushes. Every one "served them right." Every man should be compelled to pay his taxes in a decent manner, but this system of d—n your eyes, your money or your life, is digraceful. The officers are not to blame. It is possible they deserve applause. We must suppose they were discharging a duty and obeying the orders of their superior officers. The attorney general is supposed to represent our gracious Queen. Is he not discharging his high position when he commands a posse of police to imitate burglars and on the Queen's high road and in her name at the muzzles of their pistols to compel any man to stand and deliver his tax? It may be an honest proceeding, but it looks very like common robbery.

Property and luxuries should bear the heaviest portion of taxation. If the representatives of the people believe that it is necessary to tax necessaries then let them be taxed to make up a deficiency. But in heaven's name why resort to the old exploded system of a poll tax? The excuse here is "without it we cannot tax the Chinese." If we cannot tax these people without practising the art that made Dick Turpin infamous it is better not to tax them at all. The Majesty of England cannot be insulted with impunity and I say without any hesitation that collecting taxes in such a manner is a disgrace to England and to civilization. A poll tax is levied in the United States and every one knows that seventy-five per cent. of the tax goes into the pockets of the collectors. They know it is impossible to check the accounts and we all know it is utterly impossible to check the account of any man employed to collect a poll tax from the Chinese. Taxation is tyranny when the tax is collected with pistols. If we had ministers who could blush they would impose a tax of fifty dollars on every Chinaman to be paid the day he landed and get red of the Fitzfoodle system of imposing a poll tax. But the age of blushing is past, the age of statesmanship is over. Every one is ready to laugh at an infamous proceeding and decency is dead.

POINT BLANK.

Hard Wood.

TO THE EDITOR:—In this morning's issue under the above heading, your correspondent "Canadian" has given farmers good advice. The question of planting hard wood trees, however, embraces a far wider range than that which he assigns to it, being one in which the future manufacturing interests of the whole province will certainly be effected. If ship building, wheelwrighting, furniture, agricultural implement manufacturing and the various industries which the future requirement of the province may call into existence, are ever to make headway here, we must grow our own materials in the shape of wood necessary for the work; and to neglect the present is to suffer in the future.

In this provinces there are thousands of acres which are quite unsuited for agricultural purposes, but which under proper management would grow a variety of useful trees, and be a mine of wealth to us in the not far off future. There are also many acres which, with the best cultivation barely pay the expenses of tillage, could be made very valuable if planted with the proper variety of trees.

But whilst every private landowner would find his profit in planting portions of his land I am decidedly of opinion that it is a duty incumbent on the provincial government to step in and do all it can to remedy that which nature has failed in providing us with, namely, a number of economic woods.

Not having time at present to write more on a subject which has occupied my attention for several years. I will, if you please, continue the subject in another letter. H. MITCHELL.

November 5th, 1881.

Our Paris Lottor.

[Regular Correspondence of The Colonist.]

We are sick of the vain, for it raineth every day, surfeited with speeches from Gambetta, and positively plagued with assurances of consistency from newly elected deputies. Threatened to be burned up in July we are now menaced to disappear in a deluge. The continued rain has enabled the visitor to Geneva to see ruined towers of other days, in the wave beneath him shining; it is said to be good for grapes as it assists their swelling, but many people are of opinion wine generally contains enough of water already. We have two summers per annum and are in a fair way to have a duplicate of St. Swithin.

M. Gambetta cannot be less fatigued stumping than are those compelled to read him; this superfluity of oratory is the consequence of the Bellevillists declining to listen to him—a refusal that has made Gambetta next to a tory. All his ideas are excellent, his *modus operandi* unquestionable; but how can he work them out? All the question is there. For the first time he has touched, in passing, on free trade, but very rapidly, as fearing to tread too long on a burning marle.

The difficulties of Gambetta's position do not spring from his arch personal and political enemies, the red hot radicals, still less from the division of unforgiving monarchal and natural opponents; the difficulties come from the uncertainty of his being able to secure the requisite addition to his followers from the partizans of the Grevy programme, and nothing is less sure because Gambetta's revised and corrected credo now differs in nothing from that programme, and the Grevyists being in power and considering themselves just as good as the Gambettists, do not see why they ought to retire. Gambetta must find a majority, relatively small, but united, determined to stand by him with a Swiss zeal—but not that "true Swiss zeal which fights on every side." Deputies will promise to join his majority—the better to vote with the minority, as in the old chamber, and of which by all accounts the new is but a reflection.

The country displays not the slightest impatience for the immediate carrying out of the "grand reforms." It accepts the motto "hasten slowly." It possesses the kernel of all reforms, a solidly founded republic, based on the national will and governed by the sovereign people. Indeed already many of the promises made on the hustings have gone to join the old mons. To keep such together M. Barodet proposes that all promises made by the elected be tabulated in a blue book and placed to the credit of the maker. Naturally the new deputies desire that Borodet was in the deep bosom of the ocean buried. As M. Brisson will be the new president of the chamber the chances are that Gambetta will be relegated to the leadership of his own party; that he will jog on with makeshift cabinets; that being used up in a secondary position Gambetta would be destined to see his ambition balked for the Grevy succession, either by the latter being elected for a second term or replaced by Freycinet or an outsider. All this would be base ingratitude towards Gambetta, who won victory for the republic and re-established the fortune of his country. But it is French, and he knows that eaten bread is soon forgotten—especially by his fellowcitizens. In politics there are no bowels of compassion.

Pilgrims at the seaside unite that the rain is not the same as at Paris. At Paris it is animated, civilised while elsewhere it falls upon nobodies with a repulsive monotony. To make two blades of grass grow where only one grew before, to discover a new sauce are feats deemed worthy of a home with the gods, but who can discover how to pass not one but a succession of wet days? When it is fine one has flowers, sunshine, the songs of birds, the hums of insects; in the evenings "the hours of shade for beauty and the morn were mad;" then we have Juliet dreams and Romeo hopes; in autumn there is the agreeable fatigue after the day's sport, long yarns and broad jokes before the first fires of the season; in snow we can talk of Russia, about furs and Esquimaux champagne; but who can invent a *distraction* for rainy days? Ladies can talk of fashion. Pooh! What is the large Rembrandt hat worn by figures small and thin but a scare crow placed at the top of a stick to frighten away birds? And the costume—with large *paniers*? Nothing but a bottle of Dutch curacoa packed in straw. Gentlemen get wearied of smoking, billiard playing and fast novels. Ladies, where two or three are gathered together, constitute a Teazle Academy—no other institution would they tolerate, for no lady is prepared to admit a sister has more wit, or as much as herself, or the right to the same social rank; only Dorcas gatherings and charity bazaars make women equal in this vale of tears.

It is admitted that the sportsmen of France have now but one object—to kill off what remains of game in the country. The best disciples of A. Hubert are the poachers. Thanks to them the Paris markets are well stocked with game and like stolen kisses appear to be sweeter for the theft. There was quite a wailing and gnashing of teeth among consumers of the delicacies of the season at prices fully fifty per cent. below first cost on learning that a poacher had been arrested with a bag of 228 partridges. The prisoner bemoaned his hard fate before the judge confessing he had watched the birds from their cradle to their grave.

There is a terrible, not tempest, but hurricane of indignation raging against railway companies in France and the Paris and Lyons in particular, that has had eight accidents on its lines within a week—which is excessive even for the Silly season. Its last was the Charenton smash, where up to the present 18 deaths are to record and 32 mortally wounded it is feared. There are more railway accidents in France than in any other country, despite their being hushed up. It is not too much to say the real history of casualties is never known, because there are no open and public official inquiries. Perhaps, as a journal observes, the multiplicity of smashes may account for the relatively stationary character of the population of France. The courts never assess heavy damages against responsible sinning directors; hence, why the latter represent lines in such a deplorable working condition; their principle of expenditure appears to be sufficient for a day. In the horrible smash which lately occurred the commissary of police has found that the signals on the important line in question did not work, were old, in the charge of boys who were cheap to employ and never grunted at long work. Trains stopped where they had no right to pull up—the cause of the recent accident, and ran through stations where they ought to stop; neither slow nor fast trains were punctual. Will the crash in question lead to reformation? Not a bit. The lesson will be as old as the hills in a week and as uninteresting. The Siamese princes were in the express that ran over the local train and exhibited marked coolness and resignation.

When a financier shoots from his sphere in France, a fact of not uncommon occurence, he is said to make a "hole in the moon." This is an allusion to a quick departure. The origin of the saying may be traced to an ancient custom in France when the moon which regulated the Pascal fetes was fixed as the epoch for the payment of contracts. If a debtor bolted at this period he was said to make a hole in the moon. Lycurgus recommended the Spartans never to undertake any important affair only when the moon was full.

The "top sawyers" have joined the carpenters strike, the difference between the employer and employed go as merry as a marriage bell. The men are supported by the contributions of those artizans working for masters who have accepted the new tariff. It is only for form's sake employers hold out, as they make the public pay in the end, hence a French strike possesses no marked interest.

Apart from the toys that are displayed at the electricity exhibition the attention of the public appears to be concentrated on one end—the application of the light to public and domestic uses *versus* gas. The latter is now accepted in its true role, that of an agent for producing heat. Edison's system may be considered as having carried off the palm, since a company has taken up his patent to light the streets of the city and supply houses into the bargain.

How not to do it. A telegram was sent from Paris to Charenton, the seat of the railway disaster and a distance of five miles. It was not delivered till 24 hours and the wires were all right.

What's the use of a library? To store up books. What's the use of books? To be stored in a library.

An old military pensioner, who had left his legs in the Crimea, was knocked down a few days ago and his wooden limbs run over by a cab. Witnesses turned their heads aside at the crackling noise of crunched bones, as they concluded, the old man was unhurt, save the wood, and owned it was fire, not vehicles, his limbs dreaded.

Clovis Hugues, the poet deputy for Marseilles, was beaten at the poll in 1877. He then assured the constituency he would become the "deputy of flowers"—that position has brought him luck.

In the Charenton railway accident an old lady lost four of her remaining seven natural teeth. She declared on coming to she would never travel in a compartment exclusively reserved for ladies. Jealousy makes a woman a man and a man a woman.

"The pleasure of a dance with you Mlle.?" "Ask my mamma, Monsieur." Permission granted.

"Will you join me in shrimp catching to-morrow, Mons.?" "Ask my papa, Mlle."

The Champion Thief.

The Vienna correspondent of the London *Globe* says: "Last week a certain Hungarian Countess, well-known for her riches and beauty, (the same spirited lady who last year seconded her brother in a duel), graced with her presence the performance at the Aresa, or summer theatre. On one of her fair fingers my lady wore two splendid diamond rings exactly like each other. During an *entr'acte* there presented himself in her box a big fellow in gorgeous livery—six feet of the finest flunkey imaginable. Quoth he, in finest Hungarian, 'My mistress, Princess P——, has sent me to beg of your ladyship the loan of one of your rings for five minutes. Her Highness has observed them from her box opposite, and she is very anxious to examine one more closely, as she wishes to have one made after the pattern.' Without an instant's hesitation, the Countess handed a ring to 'Jeames,' who bowed with respectful dignity and retired. The performance over, the two great ladies met on the staircase, and the Countess begged her friend to keep the ring at her convenience. 'What ring, my dear?' Denouement! Tableau! The 'powdered menial' was no flunkey at all, but a thief, and the ring was gone. The police were informed of the impudent trick. Justice seemed to have overtaken the culprit in a few strides, for next morning the Countess, while still *en robe de chambre*, received a letter informing her that the thief had been caught and the ring found on his person, 'Only,' added the note, 'the man stoutly denies the charge and declares the ring to be his own. To clear up all doubt, pray come at once to the police station or send the duplicate ring by bearer.' To draw the second ring from her finger and intrust it joyfully to the messenger—a fine fellow in full police uniform—together with a handsome 'tip' for the glorious news, was the work of a moment. Only when my lady an hour later betook herself radiant to the police station to recover her jewels, a slight mistake came to light. 'Well, my rings?' I could not come myself the instant I got your letter.' 'What letter, madame?' Denouement! Tableau No. 2! The thief had got them both."

Wit and Humor.

However great our troubles and afflictions may be there is always one place where he can find sympathy, said a speaker at a meeting.

"Where, where?" cried a dozen of voices.

"In the dictionary," announced the speaker, rolling his eyes skyward.

A good story is told of a Kansas man who happened to find himself in Chicago without a nickle in his pocket. He stood in the middle of the street wondering what to do. Just then another man walked up to him, tapped him on the shoulder and said in an authoritative tone:

"Surrender quietly and there will be no trouble."

"Surrender?" echoed the penniless man, "why, who do you take me for?"

"For Jim Russell, of course."

"Guess you're mistaken."

A wordy argument ensued, but at last the Kansas man succeeded in persuading the other man that he was not Jim Russell, upon which the authoritative toned man said:—

"It is just this way: I've just been made deputy sheriff and was sent out for Jim Russell, the worst character in this city. If I go back without him the boys will all laugh at me. I've given up finding him, but I tell you what I'll do: I'll bring you over as you look enough like Jim to pass for him in the dusk, exhibit you, get cheered up by the boys, give you $30 and then lock you up with a saw in your hand. The bars are of wood and you can get loose in an hour."

The whole programme was carried out to the letter, and by 12 o'clock that night the Kansas man had taken lodgings at an hotel.

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GENERAL ABSTRACT

Showing the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA within the Province of British Columbia and its Dependencies, taken from the several weekly statements for the Quarter ending 30th Sept., 1881.

LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.	
Notes in circulation	$478,077 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver	$207,964 41
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	2,946 13	Gold Bullion	17,354 89
Deposits not bearing Interest	928,727 54	Landed and other Property	22,169 05
Deposits bearing Interest	50,911 21	Balances due from other Banks and Branches situate within the Province	$ 12,158 76
	948,638 75	Balances due from other Banks and Branches situate without the Province	606,650 32
			618,809 08
		All debts due to the Bank within the Province, Including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description excepting Notes, Bills and Balances due from other Banks & Branches	812,779 87
		Do. without the Province	66,237 74
			879,017
Total Amount of Liabilities	$1,474,661 88	Total Amount of Assets	$1,740,515 91

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at close of the Quarter ending 30th Sept., 1881 ..... $1,750,000
Rate of last dividend declared to the Shareholders ..... 5 per cent. per annum
Amount of last dividend declared $43,250
Amount of reserved profit at the time of declaring such dividend $224,200

(Signed) WM. C. WARD, Manager.
(Signed) CHAS. S. JONES, Accountant.

VICTORIA, B. C., 20th Oct., 1881.

I, WILLIAM CURTIS WARD, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing statement is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets within this Province of this Bank during the period specified and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof kept in pursuance of the provisions of "The Banking Act, 1864."

(Signed) WM. C. WARD.

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 20th day of Oct., 1881.

(Signed) A. McLEAN, J. P.

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THE UNDERSIGNED BEGS TO RETURN thanks to Richard Hall, jr., for the prompt and satisfactory manner in which his claim for insurance under his Accident Policy has been settled on behalf of the above company.

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Victoria, B.C., Oct. 27th, 1881 oc28

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To S. PERRY MILLS, Esq., Secretary British Columbia, Agricultural Association.

SIR:—ON BEHALF OF THE JUDGES ON AGRICULTURAL Implements, I beg to state that when the horse shoes were examined there was only one ticket of entry on the shoes, consequently we took the whole of the shoes to be the exhibit of one person; had there been a ticket on those exhibited by Borde & Morley the prize would have been awarded to them. W. A. ROBERTSON, Judge.

Victoria, B.C., 25th Oct., 1881. oc26 2w

GENERAL ABSTRACT

SHOWING the average amount of LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA, within the Province of British Columbia, taken from the usual weekly statements, during the Quarter ending 30th September, 1881.

LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.	
Notes in Circulation not bearing interest	$ 56,959 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver	$163,213 00
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	11,486 00	Gold Bullion	7,477 00
Deposits ON CALL not bearing interest	134,564 00	Notes and Cheques of other Banks	4,142 00
Deposits NOT ON CALL bearing interest	216,214 00	Landed and other Property	15,000 00
		Balances due from other Banks & Branches	164,363 00
		Amount of all other debts due to the Bank	146,445 00
Total amount of Liabilities	$419,223 00	Total Amount of Assets	$440,640 00

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending 30th Sept., 1881 ..... $5,000,000
Rate of last Dividend declared to Shareholders ..... 5 per cent per annum
Amount of last Dividend declared for half year $125,000
Amount of Reserved Profits at the time of declaring said Dividend $750,000

VICTORIA, B.C., 14th Oct., 1881.

(Signed) R. BURNS, Manager.
(Signed) G. H. BURNS, p. Accountant.

I, ROBERT BURNS, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Abstract is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets of the above Bank within the Province during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the weekly statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the Banking Act, 1864.

(Signed) R. BURNS, Manager.

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 14th day of October, 1881.

(Signed) J. W. McKAY, J. P.

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INFORMATION WANTED.

INFORMATION IS DESIRED OF JOHN ANGUS, who, when last heard of, lived in Seattle, King County, W. T., but is supposed to have resided in Victoria, British Columbia, since March 9th, 1878. He is a man of about 36 years of age and was raised in Canada. Any information concerning his whereabouts would be thankfully received by his brother Thomas Angus, Leadbury P.O., McKillop Township, Huron County, Ontario, Canada. no3dw2w

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase One hundred and sixty acres of land, more or less, situate at Nimkush River, Vancouver Island, and described as follows:—

Commencing at the North east corner stake of the Nimkush Indian Reserve, which is situate about 10 chains North-easterly from the North side of the old village site, described in the Admiralty Chart as "Cherlakee;" thence true west, along the Northern boundary of said Indian Reserve for a distance of 40 chains; thence true North, for a distance of 40 chains; thence true East for a distance of 40 chains, more or or less, to the shore line on Johnson Strait; thence in a Southerly direction, following the said shore line of Johnson Strait, to the point of commencement; and containing 160 acres, more or less.

No mining claims or mineral lands are known to exist in the neighborhood.

S. A. SPENCER.

Victoria, B.C., August 3rd, 1881. au7

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT I INTEND to apply to purchase one hundred and sixty acres of land situated on the North bank of the Nass River. Said one hundred and sixty acres are contained within a line commencing at a post on the shore of the river situated about a quarter of a mile West of Red Bluffs; from the post the line runs in a Westerly direction forty chains; thence North erly direction forty chains; thence in an East direction forty chains, and from thence to the commencement.

No mining claims or mineral lands are known to exist on the said one hundred and sixty acres.

HENRY E. CROASDAILE.

15th September, 1881. se18

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres of land, situated at Rivers Inlet and described as follows:—

Commencing at a stake on the North shore of Rivers Inlet; thence running true North for a distance of 40 chains, thence true East, 40 chains; thence true South 40 chains, more or less, to the shore line of Rivers Inlet; thence West, along the said shore line, for a distance of 40 chains, more or less, to the point of commencement.

MICHAEL HART.

Victoria, B.C., Sept. 27th, 1881. oc2

A CARD.

To Messrs. H. F. Heisterman & Co., District Agents Phenix Insurance Company, Brooklyn, N.Y.

GENTLEMEN—WE DESIRE TO ACKNOWledge the satisfactory settlement of our entire claim against the Phenix Co. on account of loss at the Yale fire, and to thank Mr. Craig, the adjuster of the company, for the gentlemanly manner in which he arrived a settlement for the full amount, for which we have to-day received a cheque.

GILMORE & CLARK.

Victoria, Sept. 7, 1881. se8

PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE CO., OF BROOKLYN.

THE UNDERSIGNED RETURNS THANKS TO H. F. Heisterman & Co., agents for the Phenix Fire Insurance Co., of Brooklyn, for the prompt and liberal manner in which the claim of Mr. P. Clair, a sufferer by the recent fire at Yale, and who was insured in the Phenix Co., has been discharged.

A. OFNER, Government St.

Victoria, Sept. 7, 1881. se8

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the Estate of Thomas W. Nordburg, deceased, are requested to forward them to the undersigned without delay for settlement.

DANIEL NORDBURG,
Executor to the Estate.

Barkerville, B.C., Aug. 27, 1881. se7dw3m

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LOT.	BLOCK.	AMOUNT OF TAXES.	AMOUNT OF INTEREST	SIDE-WALKS.	TOTAL.	COSTS.
33	3	$ 18 00	$ 2 16	$	$ 20 16	$ 3 10
Part 43	14	14 05	1 68	8 80	24 53	3 22
79	26	42 00	5 04	16 20	63 24	5 16
87	26	15 00	1 80		16 80	2 84
143	V.	168 00	20 16		188 16	11 40
144	"	30 00	3 60		33 60	3 68
256	27	20 00	2 40		22 40	3 12
257	"	40 00	4 80		44 80	4 24
297	15	20 00	2 40		22 40	3 12
313	11	18 00	2 16		20 60	3 10
493	D.	12 00	1 44		13 44	2 67
Part 508	"	15 00	1 80		16 80	2 84
512	C.	15 00	1 80		16 80	2 84
575	41	18 38	2 20		20 58	3 02
699	R.	40 00	4 80		44 80	4 24
Part 717	Q.	8 55	1 02		9 57	2 47
734	P.	20 00	2 40		22 40	3 12
793	10	31 50	3 78		35 28	3 76
794	"	20 56	2 46	11 00	34 03	3 70
803	"	12 00	1 44	18 00	31 44	3 67
830	5	18 00	2 16		20 16	3 10
854	"	9 00	1 08		10 08	2 50
855	"	9 00	1 08		10 08	2 50
Half of 876	J.	6 60	80		7 40	2 37
Half of 878	"	10 50	1 26		11 76	2 58
919	39	14 88	1 78		16 66	2 83
Part 941	42	7 50	90		8 40	2 42
Part 942	"	8 25	98		9 23	2 46
970	6	22 00	2 64		24 64	3 23
1005	17	24 00	2 88		26 88	3 34
Part 1023	20	10 50	1 16	19 42	31 08	3 55
1046	7	6 00	72		6 72	2 33
1048	"	18 00	2 16		20 16	3 10
1059	"	7 50	90		8 40	2 42
1062	"	10 50	1 26		11 76	2 58
1068	8	6 00	72		6 72	2 33
1069	"	6 00	72		6 72	2 33
1076	"	8 00	96		8 96	2 44
1118-19	32	44 00	5 28		49 28	4 46
1124	"	6 00	72		6 72	2 33
1126	"	6 00	72		6 72	2 33
1150	36	12 67	1 51		14 18	2 70
1183	21	21 00	2 52		23 52	3 17
1276	46	12 50	1 50		14 00	2 70
1824	62	63 00	7 56		70 56	5 52
1839	"	8 00	96		8 96	2 44
1840	"	8 00	96		8 96	2 44
1841	"	8 00	96		8 96	2 44
1943	65	11 25	1 34		12 59	2 62
5-ACRE LOTS.						
Subdivision 8 of	II.	32 00	[illegible]		35 84	3 79
Part Subdn. E. of	V.	10 18	1 20		11 38	2 56
Sub. 4 and 5	VI.	13 00	1 56		14 56	2 72
Sub. 7	"	4 50	54		5 04	2 25
Sub. 17	"	4 00	48		4 48	2 22
Sub. 20	IX.	10 00	1 20		11 20	2 56
Sub. 19	XIII.	15 62	1 87		17 49	2 87
Part Sub. 27	"	4 50	54		4 94	2 24
Sub. 1	XIX.	4 00	48		4 48	2 22
Sub. 2	"	4 68	56		5 24	2 26
Sub. 3	"	4 25	50		4 75	2 23
Sub. 12	"	5 50	66		6 16	2 30
Sub. 15-21	"	37 74	4 52		42 26	4 11
Sub. 22-24	"	13 02	1 56		14 58	2 72
Sub. 26	"	5 50	66		6 16	2 30
Sub. 43	"	4 33	51		4 84	2 24
Sub. 55-58	"	22 00	2 64		24 64	3 23
BECKLEY FARM.						
Subdivision 23 of	Sub. Sec. 28.	4 25	50		4 75	2 23
1604	56					
Subdivision 46		7 50	90		8 40	2 42
Spring Ridge	Sec. 2.	10 00	1 20		11 20	2 56
Section 14	Spring Ridge.	56 00	6 72		62 72	5 13
Part Section 21	do do	14 25	1 70		15 95	2 74
do do 74	Victoria	District.	48 00	5 76	73 62	127 38	8 36
do do 74	do	do	60 00	7 20		67 20	5 36
do do 74	do	do	19 50	2 34		21 84	3 08
FINLAYSON ESTATE							
7		A.	39 00	4 68		43 68	4 18
WORK ESTATE.							
2		F.	5 37	63		6 00	2 30
14		I.	7 50	90	22 60	31 00	3 55
3 and 5		Z.	5 00	60		5 60	2 28

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